REMARKS

Claims 1-4 and 6-10 are pending. Independent Claims 1, 6 and 9 have been amended. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

All pending claims recite that

"a remainder of said further packets follow the first packet in said at least one packet subgroup and are a continuation of content contained in the first packet such that said at least one packet subgroup constitutes a single field in the trace stream".

This exemplary feature has not been found to be taught or suggested by any of the references applied to reject Claims 1-4 and 6-10 in the aforementioned final Office Action. Further and favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Respectfully Submitted,

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